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**Norman Robert Russell** 

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## RESPONSE & AMENDMENT C

Sir:

In response to the Office Action (Restriction/Election Requirement) mailed on October 6, 2006, Applicants hereby elect Group II, claims 32-59, and 61-62, for examination at this time. Claim 60, which depends on claim 1 of Group I, is also being withdrawn. The restriction requirement is not being traversed.

In view of the above election, Applicants hereby withdraw Group I, claims 1-9, without prejudice to the filing of any divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part application, and without prejudice to the reinstatement of the claims (in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.142(b)) in the event that the requirement for election in the above-mentioned Office Action is withdrawn or

overruled. Consideration of the elected claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.